FISCAL NOTE

SB 2430

February 1, 2000

SUMMARY OF BILL: Authorizes county officials to conduct business by electronic means and to determine whether, and to what extent, they will send and accept electronic records and signatures and to what extent they will use and rely on electronic records and signatures. Specifies that in a judicial proceeding evidence of a record or signature may not be excluded solely because it is an electronic record. Specifies that records which must be retained in their original form according to law may be retained as an electronic record. Authorizes a governmental agency to require that a record be retained in a non-electronic form.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

MINIMAL

Assumes county officials choosing to conduct business transactions by electronic means already have the technology in place or the capacity and plans for such technology.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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